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DOINGS OF THE PRESENT WEEK

Pungent Notes Pertaining to Events Transpiring About Town

Christmas stock is too varied to describe. Gardners.

Remember The Alpine for lodging and quick lunch when in Titusville.

Messrs. Annan and Stowe expect to launch their new cruiser by the first of the new year.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yates and children left Wednesday for Plant City to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. Yates' parents.

Christmas candy, fine chocolates, 50c, 70c, and 80c per lb. Necco sweets and Huyler's, 1 lb. 40c., 1 lb. 80c., large fancy boxes, \$1.00 \$1.25 \$2.00 and \$2.50. Banner Drug Store.

Mr. W. L. Swindle left Sunday night for Tahira, Ga., where he will spend the holidays and attend to legal business in connection with the property of his late deceased brother.

Mr. J. B. Jones, of Georgiana, spent a part of Monday in Titusville for the purpose of taking out his naturalization papers in circuit court preparatory to becoming a citizen of the United States.

The Baptists held their Christmas tree last night and it was a great success. Singing, dialogues and recitations by the young folks were all well rendered and a nice lot of presents were distributed from a prettily decorated tree by Santa Claus, who was Mr. J. L. Mobley. The Methodist tree will take place this Friday night, and the celebration at the La-Grange church takes place tonight.

Inside Passenger Boat Route

The Indian River Steamboat Line between St. Augustine and Palm Beach will commence running two steamers January 2nd, The Republic running between St. Augustine and Daytona, and the Constitution between Daytona and Palm Beach. Commencing January 4th The Constitution will arrive in Titusville every Wednesday southbound and Sunday northbound.

Toys, Dolls, Orange wood novelties: Rugs all sizes. Gardner's.

On the Qui Vive for the Circus.

Everybody seems to be on the qui vive awaiting for next Tuesday on which occasion the Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows will appear at Titusville. It is said to be one of the cleanest and best tented shows now traveling. The newspapers everywhere it has appeared this season, speak well of it. The show travels by special service in its own special train of railway cars.

Cameron—Parrish

Mr. J. Cameron, the jeweler, of Titusville and Miss Lola Parrish, of Lake Butler, one of our popular school teachers, were married on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. Wm. Stones.

We extend best wishes to the new married couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron will make their home over the new jewelry store as soon as it is completed.

Church Notes

Rev. Wm. Stones will preach on Sunday next at Titusville at 11 a. m. and at Oak Hill at 3 p. m.

Dean Robottom will officiate in St. Gabriel's church, Titusville on Christmas Day at 10:30 a. m. A special program of Christmas music.

Dean Robottom will officiate in St. Mark's church, Cocoa on Sunday morning December 26th at 11 o'clock, and in St. Gabriel's church, Titusville on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Owing to the breakdown of the local electric lighting plant the services in St. Gabriel's church on Sunday, December 26th, will be at 3:30 p. m.

The Novelty Store

Is one of the best places in town to buy your holiday presents. One door west of Duren's market.

I. M. DODSON

GIFTS for MEN

Nowadays everybody acknowledges that the appropriate Christmas present is the useful, practical, last-a-long-while one.

This then, being a man's store, is the ideal place to buy a man's gifts. Why not buy him the most practical of all presents you could give

A SUIT OR AN OVERCOAT

One from the superb line of the "Clothes Beautiful" made by Schloss Bros. & Co., Baltimore and New York.

WINSTON S. BRANNING
Titusville, Florida.

Ford Touring Cars Arrive

The carload of Ford automobiles, mentioned in THE STAR last week, arrived Friday afternoon and were unloaded Saturday morning. E. B. Wager, the local distributor for the Ford, had a busy time getting them out and making delivery to the owners, but the autos were a pretty sight as they all proceeded to run about town, as they were all in readiness to run as soon as supplied with water and gasoline. Sunday afternoon the new Fords were very much in evidence no matter which way you went.

This makes eight automobiles for Titusville all brought there within the past year and a half. The editor of THE STAR brought the first bicycle to Titusville, he sold the first motor cycle here direct from the factory; he brought the first automobile into Titusville and he has just received the first carload shipment of autos made to the East Coast south of Jacksonville.

With the experience of years we are firm in the conviction that we have the greatest value for the money in the Ford that has ever been offered, and we have not hesitated to show our earnestness in the matter by carrying stock cars for immediate delivery, something that no town of this size in the state of Florida can boast of.

The Indian River Music House has a Ford touring car fully equipped in stock for sale, also a runabout. Prices quoted to parties who wish to purchase.

Watch the Fords go by.

CHRISTMAS DINNER, HOTEL DIXIE

Russian Caviar
Rockaway Oysters on the Half Shell
Salted Almonds
Cream of Chicken St. Julien
Olives Radishes Celery Mixed Pickles
Baked Sea Bass, Potato Dressing
Sliced Tomatoes Cucumbers
Fruit Tartlets a la Dixie
Sweet Bread Croquettes French Peas
Russet Cider
Roast Rhode Island Turkey,
Oyster Dressing
Cranberry Sauce
Prime Ribs of New York Beef
Natural Gravy
Boiled New Potatoes Cauldied Yams
Stewed Tomatoes Mashed Potatoes
Sugar Corn Green Peas
Asparagus on Toast
Florida Red Head Duck, Currant Jelly
Waldorf Salad
Christmas Plum Pudding
Hard or Wine Sauce
Mince Pie Pumpkin Pie
Tutti Frutti Ice Cream
Macaroons Mixed Cakes
Oranges Bananas Apples Grapes
English Walnuts Pecans Filberts
American Cheese Saltinas
Cafe Noir

PRICE, \$1.00

Wanted

Two good orange packers, start work Jan. 10th. L. W. Drawdy,
Nevins Orange Groves,
Merritt, Florida.

Orange and Grapefruit Trees

Grown at Shiloh, Fla., on high hickory hammock. Free from white fly. One year to two year old buds. Prices from 25 to 35 cents. Carefully packed and delivered at Oak Hill station.
J. W. GRIFFIS,
Shiloh, Fla.

LOCAL GOSSIP AND PERSONALS

Something About the People of Titusville as They Come and Go

Dr. Miller, Dentist, Titusville.

Cut Glass, Silverware. Gardner's.

Mr. Wair Windham came up from Indianola Wednesday to spend the holidays with his parents.

M. H. Zuber and Henry T. Titus, both former residents of Titusville, are both aspirants for mayor of Daytona.

Try a loaf of bread at the Home Bakery and you will never want any other kind. Orders taken for pies and cakes. C. COLLINS, Prop.

Sherman Singleton, of Eau Gallie arrived here Tuesday with the racing motor boat Kitty Sparks, which he will carry to Lake Worth for the winter. This crack little flyer did some good running at the Palm Beach races last spring.

Miss Helen Wilson returned home Tuesday afternoon from Jacksonville accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. C. Thomas, with whom Miss Helen has been staying since the carnival last month. Mrs. Thomas is to spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Wilson.

Mr. Drew E. Smith, a nephew of Mr. A. A. Bethea, of this place, who is in charge of all the dredge boats at Panama, C. Z., is expected to arrive here this week on a short visit to his relative. Mr. Smith has been granted a vacation of 63 days and sailed on the 14th from Panama for New York, then visits his brother at Worth, Ga., and stops off here at Titusville on his way to Tampa.

Accident to the Big Dynamo

An accident to the armature on the big dynamo at the electric light plant Monday night has been a great disappointment to the merchants for Christmas week as it has cut off the lights for a week or ten days at least.

Kerosene oil lamps, gas lamps and even the time honored candle have been bought to the relief of the situation in both stores and dwellings, while fortunately for the street circuit we have bright moonlight nights.

Mrs. Rathbun Entertains Club

The ladies of the Progressive Culture club were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. S. B. Rathbun at her cosy river front home Tuesday afternoon. Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the weather there were quite a good many in attendance.

In a unique contest of spelling given words backwards, Mrs. T. B. Wilson proved her aptness and was awarded first prize; Mrs. A. B. Smith also captured a prize. Miss Elizabeth Armstrong and Miss Grace Rathbun favored the assembly with some excellent piano music, which was much appreciated.

Delicious refreshments were served after which the guests departed with many expressions of pleasure and appreciation to the kind hostess for a very delightful afternoon.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the club rooms the first Monday in January.

Furniture, Dry Goods, Shoes, Gardner's.

Kline's Gents Furnishing Dept

Men's trousers, made of a good quality of hard-finished worsted, dark patterns, worth \$3.50, special \$2.49.

Also another lot worth \$2.50, special \$1.98.

Men's woolen undershirts, light weight and heavy weight, special \$1.00 per garment.

Men's four-in-hand ties, 50 cents quality, special 25 cents each.

W. L. Douglas shoes in box calf, velour calf and patent leather, custom made, worth \$3.00, special \$2.50.

JULIUS KLINE,
Titusville, Florida.

Kline's Special Holiday Opening in Novelties and Toys

Bargains in Every Department

MONDAY, DEC. 27TH, 1909.

Poplin in all the latest shades, including white and light blue, very stylish for one-piece dresses or suits, special 25 cents per yard.

Chiffon broadcloth, 54 inches wide, worth \$2.00 a yard, Monday only, \$1.19.

White bed spreads, extra large size, Marseillaise patterns, special \$1.25 each.

Ladies' ready made night gowns, made of a nice quality of nainsook, trimmed with valenciennes lace or embroidery, special 69 cents, Monday only.

R. & G. corsets, made in the latest styles, special 98 cents each.

Men's hole-proof socks, guaranteed to wear for six months without darning, colors navy blue, tan and black, six pairs for \$1.19.

Misses and children's fine ribbed hose, sizes 5 1/2 to 9 1/2, worth 25 cents, Monday's special 15 cents.

Ladies' long coat sweaters, extra heavy quality, double breasted, with two pockets, worth \$7.50, special \$4.98.

Special prices in ladies' and children's coats.

Embroideries and laces at less than manufacturer's cost.

JULIUS KLINE,
Titusville, Florida.

W. E. Faber Killed by Gas Engine

A sad accident occurred at West Palm Beach Saturday night which resulted in the death of W. E. Faber, age 33 years. While stopping the engine in the refrigerating plant of Faber Bros. grocery store and meat market, his body was caught in the fly wheel and belting attached to the engine and he was hurled against the engine fracturing skull, breaking several ribs and puncturing his lungs.

Mrs. Faber, his brother Albert and his wife were awaiting his return to the front of the store from the refrigerating plant in the rear, to go home together, when Albert Faber heard a thud which attracted him to the engine room. Hurrying back he found his brother in an unconscious condition. The injured man never regained consciousness.

The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Faber, of Sharpes, and was born and raised on Indian river, hence was well known to most of the residents of this section, and leaves a widow, formerly Miss Tula Prevatt, of Green Cove Springs, three brothers, Charles, Albert and George, and both parents.

Excursion Rate to DeLand

The fare for round-trip tickets from Titusville to Orange City on the occasion of the Florida State Educational Association is only \$2.15. Tickets can be bought on December 26th, 27th and 28th. These excursion rates will be given not only to teachers, but to all others who wish to visit the Convention.

Palmhurst Hotel Arrivals

For the week ending Dec. 22.

Nick Marinelli, Giovanni Gentile, Mrs. G. G. Beville, D. M. McKinnon, W. W. Raymond, G. W. Wise, B. F. Young, E. C. Speer, Geo. W. Murdock, F. B. Reed, Miss Ethel Reed, J. L. Nugent, G. Williams, Fla.; W. H. Galloway, Wis.; H. H. Amuck, Cal.; W. G. Burgess, Mich.; R. B. Foryer, C. H. Dyson, R. O. Perdue, Ala.; R. C. Elsom, G. E. Burnett, S. C.; C. D. Jones, Ga.; C. Shreder, Ind.; Fred E. Dennison, N. S.; B. B. Fixen, Ill.; Chas. W. Busch, S. C.; S. S. Sykes, M. A. Davis, W. E. Schofield, Ga.

For Sale Cheap for Cash

About 88 acres of good high land on the east or ocean side of the Indian river at the Narrows, described as follows: Lot No. 3, section 35, also lot No. 3, section 36, in township 31 south, range 39 east. This land is unimproved but finely located. For further particulars address.

E. M. Low,
Brookton, Mass.

Draying

Draying or hauling of all kinds promptly attended to. Meet all trains.

H. E. HOLTON,
Titusville, Fla.

LATEST NEWS AND INCIDENTS

Personal Paragraphs About People that Travel Here and There

Find it at Gardner's.

Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Houghton, of Daytona, expect to spend Christmas and the following day or so among their many Titusville friends.

Rufus M. Robbins and Ryals Wager arrived home Wednesday from the University of Florida to spend their ten days' holiday vacation.

Miss Susie L. Teeter left yesterday for her home in Hawthorn, Fla., to spend the holidays. Miss Frances Arnold and Miss Ada Comstock left yesterday afternoon for their homes in Malabar. School closed for the fall term yesterday noon.

The cruiser Usona, from South Bend, Ind., touched at this place Tuesday on her way down the river with a party of seven Indianaites on board. The Usona is about 40x12 and makes fairly good time with two double cylinder motors of 10 h. p. each. She was brought to Florida on a flat car.

Com. F. D. Hughes, of New York, an enthusiast in yachting and automobiling, who has spent many winter seasons on the east coast of Florida, died at his sister's home in Maitland last Friday, where he was taken with paralysis. The past three seasons Com. and Mrs. Hughes spent at Sea Breeze.

Christmas Ball at Hotel Dixie

The Dixie Comedy Co., which gave two entertainments at this place last week, got stranded here by the sudden and unexpected departure of their manager, and are awaiting further developments. Several of the members of the company, who are musicians, have agreed to stay over until Sunday and furnish the music at the grand Christmas ball to be given by Manager Green in the Hotel Dixie dining room tomorrow night.

Dr. Thornton Severely Burnt

A few days ago Dr. Thornton, who spends the winters at his grove in LaGrange, was severely burnt by falling onto a hot stove. His condition being serious for a person of advanced years, his grandson, Mr. Dorsey, arrived the first of this week and left with the doctor Tuesday for Alabama. Mrs. H. J. Egger, his granddaughter, who came to his aid, returned to her home the same afternoon in Miami.

Gardner has the largest variety of Christmas goods. LOOK.

Sun Brothers Shows

Red lemonade, peanuts, toy balloons and many of our country cousins holding hands, will be in evidence next Tuesday. This is the day and date for the appearance here of Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows with its myriad of amazing trained animal wonders, clever acts and glorious tented sights. Get ready to go.

Two complete performances will be offered here, matinee at 2:00; night at 8:00 p. m. The tents are all of massive size, the seating capacity is so arranged to shelter an audience of immense size.

At 12:30 o'clock, there will be given on the show lot, a galaxy of free outdoor exhibitions that are said to beat anything of the kind ever carried by a tented show.

Wanted to Give Away

100 new yearly subscriptions to the Woman's National Daily, no renewals. Send names to J. B. Jones, Georgiana, Fla.

Gun Repair Works

All work guaranteed, also guns stocked and reloaded.

H. BENECKE, Titusville.